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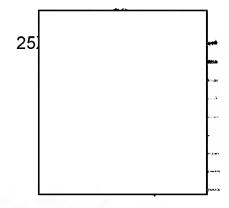
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Dear Mr. Stans:



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I refer to your letter of 21 July 1960 concerning the President's request that every effort be made to achieve a reduction of at least three per cent below the employment levels which can be financed from this year's appropriations.

During the past two fiscal years we have reduced our personnel strength by almost three per cent, falling short of this goal by only positions. We will continue these efforts in the hope that we may eventually effect still further reductions. However, at the moment we find it necessary to provide for additional positions in our Fiscal Year 1961 Operating Budget and our Estimates for Fiscal Year 1962 in order to carry out those functions for which we are responsible. It is essential that our personnel strength be expanded in support of operations in Africa and the Western Hemisphere. In addition, certain new and highly sensitive programs which I have discussed with you personally will require more personnel, and the strength of our Photographic Intelligence Center must be augmented in order to exploit the material available. Our communications activities and Junior Officer Trainee Program must also have moderate increases. These are the principal items which make it impossible for us to commit ourselves to the three per cent reduction requested.

We shall be giad to discuss the matter in greater detail at any time, and you may be sure that we will comply with the spirit of the President's request by continuing our efforts to improve our efficiency and to reduce our personnel strength on every occasion when such action is not inconsistent with the successful accomplishment of our mission.

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The Honorable Maurice II. Stans Director Bureau of the Budget Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Stans:

I refer to my letters of August 1956 to Mr. Brundage and related correspondence concerning the establishment of certain salaries in the Central Intelligence Agency above the grade GS-18 level.

In view of the fact that the recent 7.5 per cent Government pay increase will raise the compensation of grade GS-18s from \$17,500 to \$18,500. I think it is appropriate to increase the salaries of those Agency executive positions currently established in the \$18,500-19,500 class in order to give some recognition to their responsibilities in comparison with GS-18 positions.

Accordingly, I have directed that the salary range for this category of position be established at \$19,000-19,750 effective 10 July 1960. This action could involve a maximum additional cost of \$3,750 per annum.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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